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We grow our seeds and select them with the greatest care, but we give no warranty either expressed or implied, nor will we be responsible for the crop. No claims will be considered unless made immediately upon receipt of goods. In case of shortage of crops delivery will be made pro-rata to each customer's order.

GIRARDEAU SEED COMPANY

Wholesale Watermelon and Cantaloupe Seed Growers

Monticello, Fla., Jan. 17th, 1921

REFERENCE: BANK OF MONTICELLO.

Mr. Will W. Tracy Sr.

Washington D.C. GROWERS LIST 1921

Dear Sir:-

The chief end to be sought after by all responsible seedmen, is purity of stock; to be certain to attain that end place your growing order with a careful grower, of experience. Pure Watermelon seed are only to be had by great care, patience and expence, each variety must be completely isolated from all others, not only while growing but during harvesting. To do this requires a large acreage of land and experienced labor, with many years experience in the business. We offer with confidence to compete in prices with any grower who sells pure seed, true to name. By long experience and thorough training of our labor we have reduced the expense of growing melon seed to Minimum, but we have not yet reduced it so low that we can compete in prices with the melon grower who ships his good melons to market and saves seed from the refuse left after shipping. Should you wish any other varieties grown not named in our list we can arrange to grow them for you. Terms: Acceptance due in 60 days after shipment or less 2% 20 days from date of Invoice. All contract orders filled in September. One hundred dollars reward with proof that we ship or sell melons from our seed farms.

We name among our customers nearly all of the best Seedmen in the United States, and can give the best of reference, where such are required. Your order will be appreciated and properly cared for. Try us.

VARIETIES WE WILL GROW.

Lbs.		Lbs.	
-----Alabama Sweet	-----	-----Halbert Honey	-----
-----Bradford	-----	-----Kleckley Sweet	-----
-----Triumph	-----	-----Montichusto	-----
-----Black Diamond	-----	-----Kolb Gem	-----
-----Coles Early	-----	-----Mt. Sweet	-----
-----Harris Early	-----	-----Peerless	-----
-----Dixie	Price 25¢	-----Tom Watson	Price 25¢
-----Florida Favorite	-----	-----Indian Chief	-----
-----New Favorite	-----	-----Sweetheart	-----
-----Thomas	-----	-----Iceburg	-----
-----Georgia Rattlesnake	-----	-----Mam. Iron Clad	-----
-----Gypsy	-----	-----Won. Sugar	-----
-----IRISH GRAY	-----	-----EXCEL	-----
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Buyer Sign Here-----

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GIRARDEAU SEED CO.
MONTICELLO, FLORIDA

WE DO NOT SELL SURPLUS SEED
WITHOUT CONTRACT GROWING

Girardeau Seed Co.

1921

CARLOAD SHIPMENTS OF WATERMELON SEED

Monticello, Fla., Sept. 9.---About four hundred thousand pounds of watermelon seed has been shipped from Monticello and Lloyd this week. The Girardeau Seed Company, R. L. Eaton, proprietor, will ship out three carloads in the next few days. Eighty per cent. of all the watermelon seed planted in the United States is grown in Jefferson county, Florida. Watermelon seed grown in this county are sold in every State and a good many exported to foreign countries.---Jacksonville Times-Union.

